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Frisco Conference Sidelights Given By Local Woman

Mrs. Early Describes Historic Meeting Of Friday

The Ocean Beach News this week takes rank with the big dailies of the country in having its own representative and press correspondent at the historic San Francisco Conference. Mrs. C. W. Eorly, president of the Ocean Beach Woman's club, was able to gain admission to the Conference last week and plans to attend the sessions of the first three days of next week. Following is her inspiring and interesting account of the session of Friday as written especially for The News:

(by Mrs. C. W. Early)

After a most pleasant three-day journey, and fresh with the memories of the oak studded, rolling hills and wide valleys along the highway covered for miles with California native wild flowers blooming in great profusion of colors, I slipped quietly into the already jammed city of San Francisco, and soon found I was to receive a special pass to attend the third plenary session of the United Nations Conference on International Organization where high ranking diplomats of 46 nations have assembled to draft a charter embodying proposals for lasting peace and to end all war.

The conference is being held in the memorial buildings, where it is impossible to gain entrance without the proper credentials. There are two buildings in the memorial, one the Opera House, the other, the Veterans' building which the city built in 1932 for $6,500,000. They are four stories high, are made of granite and terra cotta, are identical from the outside, and are separated only by a grassy courtyard about 150 feet wide. The real work of the conference is done in the Veterans' building, the Opera House being for full dress business only. Inside there are the red plush seats for more than 3200 persons and the balcony is filled for the plenary sessions with interested spectators to hear and see how the great statesmen speak. The drama of the event is so great it needs no high powered staging but the electricians felt the significance of the moment and arranged simple lighting of blues of the deeper than sky blue shade to the aquamarine touch giving the proper color scheme for the display of flags of all nations, and this is the only stage arrangement.

When I had at last secured my special admission card to attend the session, and had gotten through the first ropes used to block off streets around the memorial buildings, the police, and next the military, I wanted to be sure I did not miss one thing so decided to first take a look through the Veterans building. My lasting impression will be of miles and miles of shiny typewriters, teletype machines, telephones, mimeographs, desks, and chairs—office equipment of all kinds with anxious and efficient men and women on duty to serve

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Local Woman Finds Window Wash High

Window washing as performed by one negro worker who dealt with a local woman this week comes high, in fact as high as $18.90 for 1½ hours work, police report. Sgt. Wayne Gray of the local police station said Thursday the Ocean Beach women should be on their guard against that kind of "high finance."

The negro said he'd wash the woman's windows at 35 cents per, with the result she gave him the work. After 1 1-2 hours work, the police were informed, he demanded $18.90 pay. She complained to the police, stating the negro hadn't washed the windows inside and even the outside panes were smeared. The negro claimed he had washed 54 panes and that the charge was 35 cents a pane. Upshot of the deal was that the police made the negro return $9.45, half the money the woman had paid him and warned him against repeating such transactions.

Estimate Of 25 Tons Of Clothing Picked Up Here

Indications are that the clothing collected in the Ocean Beach area for the destitute peoples of war torn Europe and the Orient will reach close to 25 tons, or 50,000 pounds, a survey by The News revealed this week.

Chairman Tom Plant, who was in charge of the drive here, sponsored by the Kiwanis club of Ocean Beach, estimated that at the close of the campaign Monday night that 27,000 pounds had been collected under his supervision. He was assisted in the special canvass staged Saturday by nearly 50 Ocean Beach Boy Scouts and by Martin Murphy, Jerry Sullivan, Frank B. McElwee, Lloyd Greeson, Bob Sharon and Dan Smith of the Kiwanis club.

Public schools of Ocean Beach also rendered valiant service. At Point Loma high school, the drive was sponsored by the Girls Tri-Y and a prize offered to the home room which made the best showing. The prize was won by Room 102, taught by Miss Dorothy Tissue. Students of that room collected 264 pieces. Principal L. L. Bloomenshine reported that three large Marine truck loads already have been hauled to the depot in town.

At Dana Junior high, Principal Clarence Swenson reported about 2 1/2 tons collected. Collections also were made by the Ocean Beach Elementary school pupils, total of which has not yet been reported.

Although the campaign ended Monday the need for volunteer helpers to assist in sorting and shipping the garments is more critical than ever, Major Edgar N. Gott, county chairman for the appeal, announces. "In order to handle the tremendous volume of clothes in an orderly manner we are keeping the warehouse at 1002 West Juniper St., in San Diego, open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily," Gott said. "We must have more help—both men and women, as well as boxes for crating", he added.

All who can fill these needs are urgently requested to call W-1740, the Campaign headquarters.

Expert Decorator To Speak Monday At Local School

George Obert, interior decorator and home furnishings expert, will address members of the Home Planners' Institute Monday evening, May 7 at the Ocean Beach Elementary school. Subject of Obert's talk will be "Home Furnishings," and it will deal with types of furnishings for types of homes, period furniture, modern furniture, floor coverings, draperies, and outdoor furniture. Obert has presented many popular classes on home furnishings and interior decoration at the evening high school programs in San Diego and has addressed many clubs and organizations on the subject.

Former San Diego City Councilman LeRoy Goodbody will appear on the second half of the evening's program with a talk on 'Buying or Building a New Home.' He will discuss the comparative advantages of buying a ready-built home to those of having a home built to the owner's specifications. He will also discuss the selection of a contractor and the important points of good construction.

All "Home Planners' " classes are open free to the public and are made available to the public by leading San Diego industries and civic organizations interested in promoting better homes for San Diego and employment in San Diego after the war. The classes are conducted under the adult education program.

MORE HOME TALENT FOR MINSTREL SHOW ASKED

More home talent for the minstrel show planned to be given at Wallace Hall in the near future is requested by those in charge of the production. "We are in need," they say, "of specialty acts. If you can dance, sing or have a short acrobatic act or team act we need you. Give us a ring for an appointment for rehearsal at Wallace Hall. Call C. L. Dersch B-6814 or Meta Bruce B-4357."

Ocean Beach Boy Scouts Celebrate At Close Of Busy Day

Ocean Beach Boy Scouts more than performed their "good turn" Saturday when about 50 of them took part in the house-to-house collection of used clothing on Saturday, the final intensiveday of the local drive for destitute peoples of war torn Europe. The group of the boys shown above was one of several crews who spent most of Saturday in this worth while work. The drive was headed by Tom Plant, Ocean Beach chairman, and by President Jerry Sullivan of the Kiwanis club of Ocean Beach, who is pictured above with the Boy Scouts and the truck, which Jerry's lumber yard donated for picking up the clothing. Mrtin Murphy, who directed the Scouts, also is shown near the right end.

—Photo by Harry Masters

City Runs Into Snag In Mission Bay Area Title

Governor Signs Bill Giving Ownership To San Diego

Title to Mission Bay park which only last week passed from the state park commission to the city of San Diego this week was reported by Mayor Harley Knox to the city council to be clouded with various shore line leases. The leases, he said, had been given by the commission in 1926, early in the period of the state ownership of the bay. For example, he said, one lease grants control of 3000 feet of shore line for 50 years at an annual rental of $50.

As result the mayor and council instructed the city attorney to immediately prepare an opinion indicating the best ways and means to rid the city of the leases.

Ownership of the bay park area had passed to the city last Friday when Gov. Earl Warren signed Senate Bill 1260, introduced by Sen. Ed Fletcher of San Diego. Fletcher's bill as passed by both houses of the state legislature granted the former state park to the city for "commerce, navigation, fisheries, recreational, park and highway purposes," with the oil, gas and mineral rights, however, reserved to the state.

San Diego voters at the April 17 election having approved a $2,000,000 bond issue to start development of the park, the signing of the bill helps to clear the way for beginning work on the huge $10,000,000 project, with its yacht harbor, motor boat courses, swimming pools, ball parks, golf courses and other improvements.

IN THE SERVICE -

Mrs. P. S. Decker of 4928 Coronado Ave. has received word from relatives stating that her nephew, O. C. Homer of the U. S. Army, is a prisoner of the Germans. The nephew's home is in New York City.

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Corp. Carl S. Dibble of Ocean Beach has been assigned to a veteran B-47 troop carrier group based in Italy. His wife is listed as living at 4985 Saratoga Ave. and his parents at 5067 Newport Ave.

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First Lieut. Wm. B. Bonnifield is expected home soon for a visit with his mother, who lives at 2021 Evergreen St. He has been overseas nine months serving as a pilot with the 15th Air Force and is credited with 46 missions and 268 flying hours.

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First Lieut. Bryan Willoughby and Pvt. Wm. D. Focht Jr. of Ocean Beach are with an Army engineer combat group in Italy. William is a son of Mrs. Muriel Focht of 2301 Bolinas St. and First Lieut. Byran Willoughby is a son of Mrs. W. C. Willoughby of 4621 Larkspur Ave.

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After 14 months of service in the European theatre, Tech. Sgt. Johnnie Ortega is home on a furlough visit with his wife and son at 4736 Santa Cruz Ave.

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New Fire Station Here Top Of List

A new fire station for Ocean Beach is number one on the list of improvements planned for the San Diego city fire department immediately following the war, Fire Chief J. E. Parrish informed The News while here on business Friday. In fact, the city was ready to construct the new station here at the time the war broke out, he indicated.

Asked as to the plans for locating the new station, Chief Parrish said the idea is to build at a more centrally and conveniently located site away from the Newport Ave. business district.

Chief Parrish has a warm spot in his heart for Ocean Beach, being a resident of this section at 3438 Browning St.

Quota, $40,000,000, Given S.D. County In 7th Loan Drive

Campaign Will Start May 14 and Run To June 30

San Diego county's participation in the "Mighty Seventh" war loan drive will call for a record-breaking outpouring of war bond dollars by the public, it was announced by the area war finance committee this week. Period set for the campaign is May 14 to June 30.

The quota assigned this county by the treasury department is $40,000,000, of which individuals are expected to subscribe $24,000,000 or 60 percent, the remainder being assigned to corporations and other large investors. No separate quota has been set up as yet for Ocean Beach.

Of the public's quota, $16,000,000 will be in the popular E bonds, and $8,000,000 in purchases of all other types.

While the "Mighty Seventh" opens officially May 14, all bonds bought in April, May and June will apply toward the quota.

As in the other six bond drives, a strong county organization will function under the leadership of R. King Kauffman, while the overall direction of the campaign will be in the hands of Philip L. Gildred.

Returned "Flying Tiger" Talks Here

Among the speakers at the Bethany Lutheran birthday anniversary Sunday service was Capt. Oswin Elker, a former San Diego mail carrier, who has returned from Orient, with a record of having made 77 flight missions with the famous "Flying Tigers" over occupied China. He was shot down four times and escaped injury each time, he said.

Another speaker was Pvt. Ellsworth Shumway, a former Ocean Beach youth, who is home on sick leave from his duties with the U. S. Infantry in France, visiting his sister, Mrs. Merle Porter, 4492 Santa Monica. Ellsworth's brother, Roland, as it happens, also is home on sick leave. He is with the Army in the States.

Czechs Keen For Peace And Liberty Declares Speaker

History And Life Of Czechs Told To Kiwanians

Kiwanis should set itself to the task of promoting understanding and good will between the European peoples, Bob Fuller, a Mesa Kiwanis club y.-president, declared in his address before the Ocean Beach Kiwanis club meeting of Tuesday evening. The fact that these different nationalities can live and work together in such splendid harmony as they do in this country is real evidence that progress can be made along that line in Europe, he indicated.

His talk was on the subject, "The Unconquerable Czech," and he spoke from first-hand knowledge of Czechoslovakia, having been born there and lived there as a boy. He told of the origin and history of the Czechs, how their history had been one of strife in spite of their peace and liberty loving character as a people. He gave several examples of how the Cechs have lived that kind of life as much as they have been permitted to do, and declared that not only are they peace and liberty loving but that they give primacy to the spiritual rather than the material in life.

Accompanying Mr. Fuller were four fellow members of his nationality from La Mesa who greatly pleased the Kiwanians with Czech music, both instrumental and vocal.

Layne Fisher, president of the La Mesa Kiwanis club, was program chairman. About 20 of the La Mesa members were present for the inter-club joint meeting held here.

At the local club's business session, Wm. Don Thomson of Ocean Beach, was initiated as a new member. He was introduced by Forest Whedon of the membership committee and inducted into the club by McLean Wilson of National City, a past district lieutenant governor.

Besides Wilson other guests at the meeting were his guest, Tom Murphy of Pittsburg and San Diego; Ed Hastings, ex-county supervisor, a guest of Paul Hendrickson; Lt. Bob Johnson, a guest of President Jerry Sullivan; President A. C. Holland and Frank Smith, both of the East San Diego Kiwanis club; and Gaal Bills of San Diego, a guest of Martin Murphy.

AMISTAD CIRCLE WILL MEET WITH MRS. JAMES ROBERTS ON MAY 8TH

The Amistad Circle of the Point Loma Methodist church will meet Tuesday, May 8, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. James F. Roberts, 4604 Newport Ave., Mrs. Gene Swallow, president, announced yesterday.

Music and entertainment will be under the leadership of Mrs. John Overdeer, program chairman. Mrs. Overdeer announced that the talk by Mrs. Martha McIntosh, formerly scheduled for this month has been postponed until the next regular meeting.

Mrs. Vernon Gerhardt and Mrs Overdeer will be hostesses, with Mrs. Roberts, for the serving of refreshments.

Jean Doyle Goes Into Finals Of Ink Tennis Tourney

Jean Doyle of Point Loma high school goes into the finals of the annual Ink San Diego city tennis tournament as the result of her victories last week-end in the quarter finals on Friday and the semi-finals on Saturday, played on the North Park Recreation center courts. She won from Margaret Jones of Bishop's School 6-2 and 6-1 in the quarter finals and from Ellen Schutte of San Diego High 6-3 and 6-0 in the semi-finals. As a result she takes on Jerry Jackson of San Diego High in the finals of the senior high school girls division tomorrow (Saturday).

Jean is slated to play in the southern California tournament for juniors at Los Angeles on May 12. She won two matches in the Invitational Women's tournament held in Los Angeles April 21, defeating Pat Yoemans, former national junior champion, 6-3 and 6-4 and Jane Warren of U. C. L. A. 6-2 and 6-3. Jean had to default in her third match in order to come home to compete in the Ink tournament here.

Marjorie Young Loses

Marjorie Young of Dana Junior high school, playing her first year in the Ink tournament as a champion from Dana, was eliminated from the tournament Friday in the quarter finals by Ann Bissell of Woodrow Wilson Junior High by scores of 4-6, 6-2 and 6-3.

Pointers Wallop Coronado In Dual Meet On Friday

Point Loma walloped Coronado in a dual track meet held at Coronado on Friday afternoon, the score being 76 2-3 to 27 1-3. The Lomans Class B team won their part of the meet by a score of 73 to 22 and the Class C meet by a score of 56 to 21.

In the Class A part of the meet, both Larsen and Janney won two firsts. Larsen won both hurdles races, the low in 14.3 seconds and the high in 10 seconds flat; and Janney took both the sprints, the 100-yard dash in 10.5 seconds and the 220 in 24.3 seconds. Timmons won first in the high jump at 5 feet 7½ inches.

In other Victory League meets held Friday, San Diego High downed Grossmont 62 to 42, Hoover won from La Jolla 65 to 39 and Sweetwater from Kearny 72 to 32.

This afternoon (Friday) Coach Wm. Maxwell takes his Pointer thinclads to Grossmont in one of their toughest meets of the season.

Joint Meeting Of Groups Proposed In Regard, Honor Roll

A joint meeting of Ocean Beach civic and service groups to hear a report of the committee on community honor roll plaque was proposed by Rollin E. Reed at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors, held Thursday evening of last week at the Lownes store, with President J. R. Lownes presiding. Reed suggested that this organization should be joined by the Kiwanis and American Legion post as well as by other service and civic groups meeting together to hear report of the joint Chamber of Commerce and Kiwanis committee that is now working on the plans for the proposed community plaque for servicemen.

Forest Whedon, a member of the joint committee, reported to the directors that considerable investigation is being done as to the type of and material for the honor roll plaque.

President Lownes spoke of the need for a coordinating committee of the Chamber of Commerce to act as a steering committee on all matters pertaining to this community. Such committee was named to consist of Forest Whedon, chairman, and Rollin E. Reed and Wm. Don Thomson.

Milton Lancaster was selected chairman of the delegation of three who are to represent the local Chamber of Commerce at the meetings of the "Five Cs," the latter being the San Diego Council of Chambers of Commerce and Civic groups, and Lancaster was authorized to name his two assistants on the delegation.

Class Of 205 To Graduate From Point Loma High

Five Speakers From Class Selected By Seniors

A class of 205 seniors will graduate from Point Loma high school June 21, reports Principal L. L. Bloomenshine. The total is a few more than usual, he said. Announcement of graduation speakers was made this week. Each year the senior class is permitted to recommend those students they would like to have represent them at their graduation exercises. Each senior is given a ballot on which he suggests four of his classmates. These are tallied and the students with the highest votes are placed on the list for consideration. A faculty committee composed of Irma E. Gibson, class counsellor; John C. Lamott, class sponsor; Mary R. Maull, dean; Robert D. Williams, vice-principal; L. L. Bloomenshine, principal, and Jeweldean Brodie, public speaking teacher, determines the final selection. The committee announces the following selections:

Claire Jones, Anne Parrish, Wesley Kissel, Anne Carmody, Jim Wiesler; first alternate, Jay Timmons; second alternate, Lanier Grey.

Senior A class activities are under way and speeding toward outstanding climaxes, reports Malin Burnham, the class president. First major activity is the senior A class play "And Came the Spring," May 3 and tonight, (Friday May 4,) at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. All persons expecting to attend the play should purchase exchanged tickets and then have those reserved at boxoffice or through seniors who are selling tickets. Some of the class' most popular thespians are in this gay production of youth.

A long awaited class occasion is the "legitimate ditch day" which has as its picturesque setting the La Jolla Beach and Tennis club date of May 18. All seniors will be on hand for beach sports and activities, with a huge picnic lunch and then a lazy afternoon, while all other Point Lomans will be "slaving" in their respective classrooms.

One of the most impressive settings during the accelerated activities is the annual Vesper services. Anne Parrish, chairman, announces this event for St. Paul's Episcopal church, June 17.

Contrasting this formal, solemn service is the Prom to be held at the San Diego Woman's clubhouse June 19. Every senior is saving his best bib and tucker, his choice date for this colorful and gay affair.

And then with pride, with tears, with joy and with reluctance every senior A will appear for commencement exercises at the Greek Theatre on Point Loma, 600 Cataline Blvd., the afternoon of June 21.

Jeanne Martin is business manager for the senior play; Bill Cleator and Gloria Alvarado, "ditch day" chairmen; Jerry O'Brien, the senior prom arrangements chairman and Dorothy Shepherd, commencement exercises chairman.

PROFESSIONAL SINGER AND HUSBAND NOW IN CHARGE OF CAFE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John DeVoe of San Diego, the latter a professional singer and mistress of ceremonies, took over the Eric-Lee Cafe at 5027 Newport, having bought from C. S. Parkhouse and Mrs. M. Alexander. Mr. DeVoe, who has had five years of service in the Navy, received his honorable discharge on March 25. He returned in December from duty overseas in the Atlantic. They announce they will have the cafe open every day in the week except Monday from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Mrs. DeVoe sang and "emceed" under the professional name of Donna Grace, and had been performing for six years in Boston, Chicago and California. She returned here three weeks ago from an engagement at the Crawford Theatre Cafe in Boston. She also has performed at the Gay Nineties, the Little Club, the Paris Inn and the Mexicali cafe in San Diego and the Club La Maze in National City.

Germany's Farm Folk Well Fed, McElwee Writes

Evidently the farm folk in Germany are well fed, according to a letter Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElwee of Ocean Beach received during the week from their son, Corp. Frank B. McElwee of General Patton's Third army. Corp. McElwee, who is with the 4th Armored Division which spearheaded Patton's drive through Germany, wrote the letter April 14, copy of which follows:

"Somewhere" in Germany
April 14, 1945.

Dear Mother and Dad:

I know I haven't written in quite awhile but I just haven't had the time or place to do it. Everything is OK and I am feeling fine.

This section of Germany we are in reminds me a lot of the country around Atlanta, Ga. There are a lot of pine woods, and even some red dirt or clay. One thing you notice about the part of Germany we have gone through is how deeply religious the people are. Every town no matter how small will have a church and nearly every home will have some sort of altar or religious picture.

The people in Germany, especially in the country, seem to have been eating well, there is plenty of butter, jam, preserves, sugar, potatoes and bread. Of course I don't know how much they will have this winter. Now, when I say the people of Germany had enough to eat, I mean the citizens of Germany, not the slave laborers in Germany.

Speaking of slave labor I don't believe you realize to what extent Germany has used this type of labor in order to release more German men for the army. Nearly every farm has a number of foreign men or women working on it supervised by the German farmer. They seem to use the Poles and Russians on the farms and the French and other nationalities in the factories. The Poles wear a yellow "P" on their lapels and the Russians wear a blue "OST".

As for atrocities, I can say as an actual eyewitness that I believe anything told about the acts of cruelty performed by the German SS men and the Gestapo so if you read these atrocity stories in the papers, believe them, because I've seen the actual proof of them. It is not a bunch of popaganda, it is the truth.

Germany is beautiful now, it is also one of the most modern European countries I have been in, they have a wonderful system of highways. Their "Autobahna" or superhighways, really are wonderful. They are six lanes and have easy grades and curves. From the looks of them I don't think they used them much.

Gladys McKoon, deputy grand matron, O.E.S., will make her official visit to Point Loma Chapter Monday, May 7 at 8 p. m. in the Masonic hall on Newport Ave. Agnes Driskill worthy matron and Walter Kidwell worthy patron will preside. All ritualistic work will be exemplified. Ona Wallace is chairman of the party to be held after Chapter.—M.A.P.

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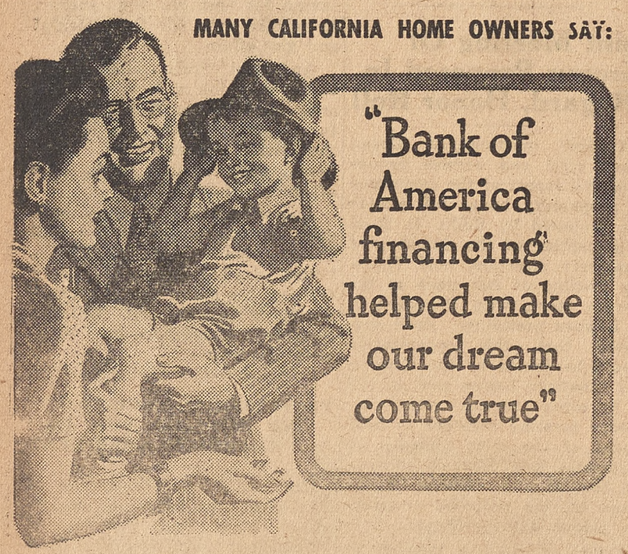

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HIGHLIGHTS of Point Loma and the Beaches

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FAMILY REUNION AT HOME OF MRS. BESSIE HARRISON

The furlough of Capt. J. H. Howell, U. S. Army Air Corps, who is stationed at Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colo., was the incentive for a family reunion, this week, at the home of Mrs. Howell's mother, Mrs. Bessie Harrison, 4824 Coronado Ave. Other out-of-town guests, besides Capt. and Mrs. Howell, were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Harrison, Oakland; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison, Altadena; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison and young son, William, Van Nuys, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCollough, 4875 Cape May Ave.

Dinner For Twelve

Mrs. Tom McCollough, sister of Mrs. Harrison, assisted Sunday at the dinner party given in honor of Capt. Howell and others who returned to Ocean Beach for the family "homecoming." Places were laid for twelve.

MARVIN MUSGRAVE, PENCIL HOBBYIST, TO SPEAK AT PTA DINNER MAY 8TH

Invitations have been issued for a pot-luck dinner and hobby show to be held in the Ocean Beach School auditorium Tuesday, May 8, at 6 o'clock, sponsored by the PTA of Ocean Beach. Marvin Musgrave of San Diego will display his huge collection of pencils, which are his hobby, and will give a talk on the subject. Parents and children will be given the opportunity to display their hobbies, and tables will be placed around the auditorium for this purpose. Those attending are asked to bring a hot dish and own table service. Coffee, lemonade and rolls will be supplied.

Gay To Present Orchestra

The Elementary school orchestra will be presented for the first time by Mr. D. Gay, orchestra leader, for the entertainment of those attending the hobby show.

MRS. WENRICH HOSTESS TO FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

Mrs. Bert W. Wenrich was hostess Wednesday to the Fortnightly Bridge club in her home at 3319 Udal St. Spring flowers were used for table decoration and after luncheon contract was played. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mmes. John Alford, L. E. Neil, Walter Brewer, Edwin Hunt, Blanche Laughlin, Julian P. Adams, G. Sherman Collins and the hostess.

PATIO PARTY ENJOYED BY FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Members of the Friendship Circle of the Point Loma Methodist church met Tuesday at 12:30 in the patio of Mrs. Rose Cochrane, 4818 Pescadero Ave at a "share a dish," luncheon. Perfect patio-weather was provided for this occasion.

MRS. R. J. LOVELACE AND INFANT MOVE TO TEXAS

Mrs. R. J. Lovelace, formerly of 4522 Newport Ave., and seven-months-old daughter, Virginia Ann, have gone to San Antonio, Texas, to live with her parents until the return of the husband and father, Pharmacist's Mate Robert Lovelace. The latter had been stationed at the Naval hospital, San Diego, where he was going to school. An aunt of the couple, Mrs. Marie Wagner, drove out from San Antonio to visit with Robert before he left, and Mrs. Lovelace and young daughter are returning with her.

FATHER OF FAMOUS G. I. CARTOONIST HURT IN CAR-MOTORCYCLE CRASH HERE

In a motorcycle-car accident, at the intersection of Voltaire and Abbott Sts. on Monday afternoon, Sidney A. Mauldin, 54, former Ocean Beach resident, and father of the G.I. cartoonist, Sgt. Bill Mauldin, was severely injured when the motorcycle he was driving collided with a car driven by Ewald Lohe of Ocean Beach. Mauldin who is an employee of Ryan Aeronautical Co. was driving a company motorcycle when hit. He was taken to Mercy hospital where his condition is reported as "fairly good." Mauldin who now lives in Mission Beach, was driving south on Abbott St., and Lohe west on Voltaire. The collision threw Mauldin from his machine and caused head injuries. A possible skull fracture was indicated at first.

OCEAN BEACH FLYER DIES IN AIR PLANE AT LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Wahlberg of 1203 Sunset Cliffs Blvd. report they were notified of the death of their son, Ens. Russell Dean Wahlberg, Naval flyer, Sunday afternoon at Los Alamitos Naval Auxiliary station near Los Angeles. He was watching the takeoff of a fighter plane when it went into a spin and struck him. Ens. Wahlberg had been in the service for 2½ years, was commissioned in 1944, was a graduate of La Jolla high school and attended State college. Prior to entering the service he was associated with his father in the automobile business. He is survived by his parents and a sister, Clarine, and his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Kimball of Ocean Beach.

COL. WM. WRIGGLESWORTH GETS CROIX DE GUERRE

Col. Wm. J. Wrigglesworth of 2808 Chatsworth Blvd. has been decorated by both France and the United States, news dispatches reveal this week. He has been given the Croix de Guerre with Gold Star by France for "exceptional services rendered in the liberation of France." For his development of a new system of speeding mission reports from the Eighth Air Force to headquarters in England he has been awarded the U. S. Legion of Merit. This award came while he was based in England as commander of a Flying Fortress group. Since then he has been transferred to France to the headquarters of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces. Previously he had won the Air Medal and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS

Pvt. Hilda B. Judd of 2060 Sunset Cliffs Blvd. has completed training in the motor vehicle operator's course of the First women's Army corps training center at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.

Capt. Thomas J. Hanley III, U. S. A. of 3936 Centraloma Dr., has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, for "extraordinary achievement" while leading a flight of B29s on a strike against a target in the Japanese Empire.

Rex Faubian S2c son of Lieut. (jg) and Mrs. Wirt D. Faubian of 1852 Sunset Cliffs Blvd., has been assigned to Naval Training center Gulfport, Miss. and has enrolled in radio technician's school.

Robert R. Whitemore, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Whitemore of 2239 Seaside St., who is serving at Gulfport Army airfield, Miss., has been advanced to corporal.

Mrs. Alice Davis, who has "The Smart Shop" on Voltaire St., returned Sunday, from a four-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bennett Hoffman at Seattle, Wash.

AM1/c and Mrs. A. D. Politis of 4719 Newport Ave have returned from a three-weeks leave, spent in and around San Antonio, Texas, where they visited with relatives and friends. Politis is stationed at Camp Kearny.

IN THE SERVICE-

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He has complete 66 combat missions as an engineer-gunner on a B-26 and is holder of the Air Medal, the Purple Heart and the Silver Star.

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Harry W. Coyle, RM3/c in the U. S. Coast Guard, served aboard a Coast Guard-manned invasion transport which took part in the recent invasion of Okinawa in the West Pacific. He also took part in the invasions of Leyte and Luzon in the Philippines. Coyle, whose home is on Voltaire St. in Ocean Beach, is a radio maintenance man.

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Mrs. R. J. Bumbaugh of the local Bank of America staff has received word from her husband Sgt. Raymond J. Bumbaugh of the U. S. Marine Corps that he expects to be home on leave in a week. He has been overseas for 2½ years and was last stationed on the island of Guam. They reside at 5059½ Brighton Ave Ocean Beach.

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Ellis Coats of the U. S. Navy has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hunsaker of 4452 Orchard Ave. and Mrs. G. O. E Kirk of 4428 Orchard Ave. Coats, who attended Point Loma high school is now stationed at the Navy Pre-Flight scool at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. Ellis' brother, Clarence, is with the Navy on duty in the South Pacific.

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Corp. George W. Rye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Rye of 3919 Alicia Dr., arrived home a week ago on a 45-day furlough from his duties with the Army Transportation corps in islands off the coast of Alaska. A graduate of Point Loma high school in 1942, he has been in the service for 28 months and about two years of it in the Alaskan theatre. He plans to return to the same duty.

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Aviation Cadet James C. Snapp Jr., 21, a graduate of Point Loma high school, is home on a 30-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snapp at 1622 Plum St., Loma Portal. He came here from Valley Forge General hospital, Penn., where he was undergoing plastic surgery for burns suffered when his plane crashed near Ontario, Calif., in May 1944. After graduating from high school he attended State college one year.

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Pvt. Hudson Rosenberg aims to leave Saturday for further treatment at the Mitchell Convalescent hospital at Camp Lockett near Campo for an inquiry suffered while on duty on New Guinea. He graduated from Point Loma high school in 1942, had been in the service for more than two years and overseas for six months. He has been visiting for about a month with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Earl R. Rosenberg of 3829 Narragansett Ave.

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Pvt. Robert A. Bailey, of 4430 Brindisi St., and two other marine combat photographers were snapping action shots on Okinawa. When they heard a weak cry from a burning building in an east coast town on the island, one of them said, "Sounds like a baby in there." Cautiously approaching, the three heard the wails grow louder as they stalked through the building. Bailey, first to reach the victim, said, "Well, it's a kid all right." He chased a tiny goat into the open.

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Pfc Pat Carothers, a 1944 graduate of Point Loma high school, is home on a 20-day leave, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carothers of 2672 Narcissus Dr. He was on duty with the Marines in the Southwest Pacific and had taken part in six major battles with the Japs while he was attached to an airplane carrier. He came home with his ship, which was damaged in one of the battles and which is now undergoing repairs. Pat expects to return to the same ship at the expiration of his leave.

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Pvt. Lloyd Fowler, a graduate of Point Loma high school, left Sunday for Chanute field in Illinois where he will study radar, after a furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Fowler, at 4572 Valencia Dr. They formerly lived on Mendota St. in this community. Lloyd had been at Truax field near Madison, Wis. in training in the radio mechanics of the Army Air corps school. He also had attended the University of California at Berkeley for one year before entering the service.

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Price Alvarado, signalman second class, arrived home last week Wed. on a 30-day leave and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Alvarado of 4960 Narragansett Ave. This was his first visit home in 1½ years. Price, who has been in the service for about three years, helped with the rescue of nine fliers who crashed into the sea from nine different planes near the Marshal Islands in the Southwest Pacific. He was on duty with a crash boat rescue crew at an Aviation Rescue Navy yard in the Gilbert Islands, and previously had been with amphibious forces invading Makin Island. At the end of his leave he will go to San Pedro for re-assignment and expects to have duty in the States for several months. He graduated from Point Loma high school in 1940.

MARILYN JEAN HARRIS OBSERVES 4th BIRTHDAY

Marilyn Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Harris, 2015 Ebers, celebrated her fourth birthday Sunday afternoon, with a party, refreshments, games and prizes. Junie Burk and Carolyn Patterson assisted Mrs. Harris in serving individual ice cream and cake. A rose centerpiece was a feature and miniature windmills were used as favors. Prizes at the games fell to Dickie Ashton, Mary Carol Jordan and Michael Maconnell. Other guests were Grant Brennan, Billie and Michael Collins, Tommy Bartholomew, Jerry Maconnell, "Chuck" Bauer and Travis Jackson.

Four generations, including herself, helped Mrs. Janie Butts celebrate her 81st birthday anniversary at her home here with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Dewees, 631 Pescadero Ave. on Tuesday, May 1. A fried chicken dinner was a feature. The four generations included Mrs. Butts, the honoree, Mrs. Dewees her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Nance her granddaughter and Marian Nance her greatgranddaughter. Others in the party were Mr. Dewees and Mr. Nance. Mrs. Butts has eight children, Mrs. Dewees being the only one in Ocean Beach.

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By COL. ROBERT L. SCOTT

WNU Features.

CHAPTER IX: Burma is falling into the hands of the Japs. Flying over bombed and burned Chinese towns they land at Schwebo. Scott meets General Stilwell and his party.

CHAPTER X: Scott's group carries refugees out of Burma, heavily overloading the planes. He pays a visit to Gen. Chennault and tells him he is a fighter pilot and not a ferry pilot and is promised the next P-40 that arrives from Africa.

CHAPTER XI: Open season on Japs—the big adventure is near. Scott gets his first Jap—an army number on the ground. He burns up some Jap trucks and a fuel dump.

Just about halfway between the border and Hanoi we saw a train coming North on the railroad. Bishop led four of us down to strafe it while the other four stayed at twelve thousand for top-cover. We circled over the train as we spiralled down to attack, and while the speed of the dive built up I got my gun-switch on and tried to trim the ship for the increasing speed.

As we levelled off and went in for the kill, I saw Bishop's tracers hitting the engine. By the time I got there—in number two position, on Bishop's wing now—the white steam was spraying from the punctured boiler. I saw the engineer and fireman jump from the locomotive, and as we went on down the cars, shooting into them, I saw Jap soldiers and probably Vichy French civilians jumping off too. We came back and set some of the cars on fire. It was a cinch now, for the train had stopped and was no longer weaving through the narrow curves of the gorge.

While the boys talked to one another, we re-formed and I heard Bishop say, "Let's bomb the railroad yards at Laokay with our frags." (Fragmentation bombs.) I thought then that was wrong, for we had alerted Laokay as we flew over and they were probably listening to us and would be waiting for us. That didn't matter, though; we'd get the railroad yards and some of the anti-aircraft crews too, if they didn't look out.

We spiralled down to bomb the target and I saw Bishop's bombs hit dead center on the round-house. Then I dropped mine. Just at that instant Bishop's fighter belched fire and smoke, and I saw him slide his canopy open and jump. His chute opened so close in front of my ship that I pulled up for fear I'd run into it. I hung there for what seemed like hours, with my air speed indicating three hundred miles an hour, while black bursts of anti-aircraft fire broke all around me. The ship just seemed to stand still, but I saw Bishop floating down towards the river that was the boundary between China and Indo-China. At the very last moment, as I got my nose down and got out of the center of the anti-aircraft, I saw an unlucky wind blow the chute back to the Indo-Chinese or Jap side of the river, and Bishop was captured. We heard from him later that he was really a prisoner of the French and was getting along all right.

We re-formed North of Laokay and went back to Kunming. General Chennault said that the train wasn't worth Bishop—we should have left Laokay alone.

CHAPTER XIII

Word had come now that the AVG, with General Chennault as Commander, was to be inducted into the Army Air Corps. Chennault, then a General in the Chinese Army but a retired Captain in the U. S. Army, was to be given the rank of Brigadier General to head the China Air Task Force. But from what I had gathered from the few newspapers we had received and from rumors that filtered through, I knew that not many of the AVG were going to accept induction.

There were officious men around the China-Burma-India theater who thought the AVG were unruly and undisciplined. To these statements I always remarked that I wished we had ten such undisciplined groups—for they would have destroyed some three to four thousand enemy airplanes, and that would certainly have hindered the Japanese. There were others who claimed that the fighters of the AVG fought for the high salaries and the extra bonus of five hundred dollars for each enemy plane they shot down. That made me laugh, for I had seen the AVG fight, and later on I was to fly with them against the enemy. I knew those great pilots—I knew that they were great American adventurers who would have fought just as hard for peanuts or Confederate money—as long as they were fighting for General Chennault and were flying those beloved P-40's.

As it stood now: after long hours of combat the men were tired; they had been out of the United States under the most trying conditions for nearly a year. They were all showing combat fatigue and needed a rest. Some of them were combat-weary and ought never to be risked in combat again.

Furthermore, the induction of the AVG had hit a snag, from poor judgment on the part of one man. It seems that someone had lined the boys up for a fight-talk on the glamour of induction into the Army, and had used very little tact. He recited newspaper stories intimating that the AVG fought for the high pay of Camco—between $600 to $750 a month, depending on whether or not the pilot was a wing man or a squadron leader. This salesman went on to state that he sincerely hoped the AVG would accept induction, because if they didn't, and when their contracts with Camco expired, they would probably find their draft boards waiting for them when they stepped off the boat that carried them back to the United States. In that case, they would of course be inducted as privates rather than commissioned as officers.

A large percentage of the AVG are reported to have got up and walked out on the speech. After all, they were high-strung fighter pilots who had fought one of the greatest battles against superior odds that has ever been reported. In this case, they were being threatened without complete knowledge of all the facts involved. I know that from that day on they taught the Chinese coolie boy on the refueling truck jokes about that reverse sales-speech. One involved an expression that of course was never permitted to reach its destination. The boy was trained by some of the AVG—who were leaving China—to run up to every transport that landed, and, as the passengers got out, to repeat for their benefit an unprintable American expression aimed at the speech-maker. The gas-truck coolie would religiously meet every C-47 and with bland countenance would repeat the sentence. Most of the AVG used to make sure that he never reached the transport unloading the right man, but several times it took the best of American flying tackles to stop him in time.

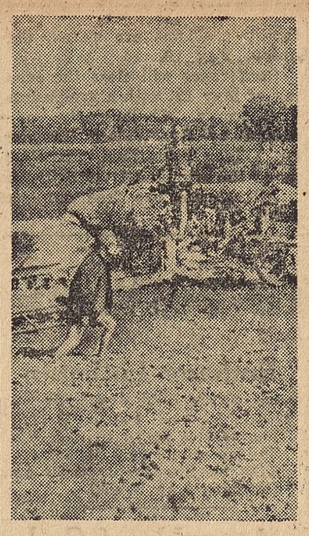
Handled in another way, I believe that every one of the AVG who was physically able would have stayed. As it was, only five pilots remained, and some thirty ground-crew men. We had wanted to divide them into two groups—those who from a physical standpoint badly needed rest in the United States, and those who could stay out in China for six months longer without impairing their health. We were to permit the first group to go home on July Fourth (the day their contracts with Camco terminated) and to remain there on leave for no less than a month, after which they were to come back to China. It is my opinion that at least ninety per cent of the AVG would hve accepted this offer. But as it was, five of the greatest pilots in the world stayed with the group when their contracts expired. And those five were enough.

I went back to India and continued my single-ship raids on the Japs. After my flights with the AVG, the burning of the train in Indo-China, and the news of my one-man war in Burma, the story got to the war correspondents. I began to hear from home in the States that I had been written up as "The One-Man Air Force." From an egotistical standpoint I felt the thrill that a normal person would, but by this time I was beginning to realize that one man and one ship in this type of warfare meant very little.

In the days that followed I sank barges filled with enemy soldiers, bombed enemy columns and strafed enemy soldiers swimming in the water from the barges I had sunk. But when I went back next day there were more and more Japs surging northward into upper Burma towards India. No, the title was an empty one—for even I, with my egotism of success in combat, knew by now that one man could make no real mark on this enemy that we were fighting. I had the satisfaction, however, of knowing that I was learning things. I had the experience of ten years of military flying, and I knew I was a good pilot. The day was going to come when that knowledge of mine, learned the hard way, would help train the new units that would come from home. There is no substitute for combat. You've got to shoot at people while you're being shot at yourself.

For the time being, though, there was just the one ship, and I nursed it like a baby. Flying it constantly, I had begun to feel a part of it. Sometimes at night I'd think of my wife and little girl, but never in combat. Sometimes, coming home after striking the enemy, I'd think of them and they seemed far, far away. Towards the last of May, after I'd flown just about two hundred hours in combat and had gathered about a hundred holes in my ship, I think I must have wondered if I'd ever see them again. I carried a Tommy gun with me in the cockpit of the ship, for at strafing altitude there would probably be no time to bail out with the chute anyway, and I knew that prisoners taken by the Japs receive very harsh treatment, especially those who have been strafing the capturing troops when shot down. With that gun, after my crash landing I'd have one more crack at the Japs—I certainly didn't intend to be captured.

When my imagination failed to supply new tricks like painting the nose different colors and changing the number on the fuselage, I got Sergeant Bonner and my armorer to attach a five-hundred-pound demolition bomb under the little fighter,



A Jap bomber is shot down in Col. Scott's first aerial combat.

for I was planning some real damage to the Japs. This bomb was hooked on to the belly-tank release of the Kittyhawk and overloaded the ship somewhat, but I was to become used to that. With eighteen-hundred-odd rounds of fifty-caliber ammunition, three tanks of fuel, the pilot's weight, and this 500-pound bomb, I was taking off with over 2,500 pounds in the little single-seater. Later we were to increase even this load; but for the time being my wing loading was enough.

Well do I remember the first time I took off with this five hundred pounds of steel and TNT down under my ship. I pulled the heavy little plane off the last few yards of the runway and tried to climb. The straining ship mushed along just over the tea bushes, and I told Sergeant Bonner when I got back that even ten miles from the field I was going along through the tea planters' breakfast rooms, getting my wheels up.

My greatest bombing day came late in the month of May, when I dropped four 500-pound bombs at Homalin, down on the Chindwin, where the Japs seemed to be concentrating. Early in the morning I headed South with the heavy yellow bomb, slowly climbing over the Naga Hills and through the overcast, topping out at 15,000 feet. As I continued South on the course to where the Uyu met the Chindwin River, the clouds lowered but the overcast remained solid. In one hour, computing that I had made the 180 miles to Homalin, I let down through the overcast, hoping that the mountains were behind me. Luck was with me, as it usually was in my single-ship war, and I found the overcast barely a hundred feet thick. I couldn't see Homalin and my target area, but I kept right up against the cloud ceiling and circled warily. I knew that I was in luck: I could drop the bomb and then climb right back into the overcast, no matter how many Jap fighters came to intercept.

Soon I saw my target—and sure enough, there were loaded barges coming out of the broad Chindwin and heading for the docks of Homalin. I continued circling against the clouds at 11,000 feet.

For I had a plan. Dive-bombing from a P-40 is not the most accurate in the world: you can't dive very steeply or the bomb might hit the propeller, and also in too steep a dive it's hard to recover in the high speeds that are built up. It seemed to me that the type of bombing one had to do in order to keep the speed under control and to miss the prop, was more in the nature of glide-bombing. Most beginners, however, are always short with their bombs. That is to say, the projectile strikes before it gets to the target on the line of approach, rather than over it. From my practice bombings on the Brahmaputra, I had developed a rule of thumb: I would dive at some forty-five degrees; then, as the target in my gun-sight passed under the nose of my ship, I would begin to pull out slowly and count—one count for every thousand feet of my elevation above the target. Then as the ship came almost level, if I was at two thousand feet when I reached the count of "two," I'd drop the bomb.

I let the four barges get almost to the makeshift wharf; then I dove from my cloud cover. As I got the middle two barges on my gun-sight, I made a mental resolution not to be short—for even if I went over I'd hit the Japs in the town. As I passed three thousand feet the nearest barge went under me, and I began to pull out and count: "One—two—three—pull"—putting in the extra count to insure me against being short. I felt the bomb let go as I jerked the belly-tank release, and I turned to get the wing out of the way so that I could see the bomb hit.

The five hundred pounds of TNT exploded either right beside the leading barge or between the barge closest to shore and the docks. As the black smoke cleared, I saw pieces of the barge splashing into the river a hundred yards from the explosion. I went down and strafed, but the black smoke was so thick that I could see very little to concentrate on; so I climbed to three thousand feet and waited for the smoke to clear. Then I dove for the two barges that were drifting down the river. I must have put two hundred rounds into each of them. I got one to burning, and from the black smoke it must have been loaded with gasoline. The other would not burn, but I'm sure I left enough holes in it to sink it. Coming back over the target again, I strafed the Japs in the water who were either floating dead or swimming towards shore.

On my second raid I dropped a five-hundred-pound bomb on the largest building in Homalin, which the British Intelligence reported the next day had been the police station. They said that two hundred Japanese were killed in that bombing, and that between six hundred and a thousand were killed in the series of bombings. Many bodies were picked up about thirty miles down the Chindwin at Tamu and Sittiang. All four of my bombs had done some damage, and I was quite satisfied.

In British Intelligence reports I read that Radio Tokyo had mentioned Homalin. One bombing had taken place, it seems, with very slight damage, and that only to the innocent Burmese villagers, but the Imperial Japanese Army had evacuated Homalin because of the serious malaria that was prevalent there. Anyway, I always like to think that my four trips to Homalin with four 500-pound packages of good old American Picatinny TNT had something to do with the monkey-men's deciding that the malaria was too bad along the Chindwin.

My raids with "Old Exterminator" continued through May and into June. Some days I'd climb out of India through the rain clouds of the monsoon and fly on into Burma. The trip back would then be one to worry me, for I never knew exactly when to let down. Almost every day, however, if I worked my take-off time properly I'd get back from the mission as the storm clouds were breaking, and I'd have a nice, welcome hole to dive through. On other days when I wasn't so lucky, I'd just have to roll over and dive for the valley of the Brahmaputra—and that's where I always came out, or I wouldn't be here to tell about it.

Some of the flights into Burma were just a waste of gasoline; I would see nothing. It follows that I have written of the more exciting ones. There is nothing so monotonous as to fly for four hundred miles with plenty of ammunition, or sometimes for two hundred to three hundred miles with a heavy bomb attached, and find no place to drop it. I'd have to come back then, and gingerly letting down through the dark monsoon clouds, land the 500 pounds of TNT as if I had a crate of eggs aboard. After all, we didn't have bombs to waste.

Early in June I did have one exciting trip. From reports of the ferry pilots I heard that the Japs were building a bridge over the river N'umzup, some forty miles North of Myitkyina. The very afternoon the report reached me, I went over and strafed the engineers at work on the bridge. And I nearly got shot down, for the efficient Japanese had moved in their anti-aircraft with the bridge crew. When I landed at the base I helped the ground crew count the thirty small-calibre holes in my ship. My cap had one hole in it, though luckily it had not been on my head but back in the small baggage compartment of the Kittyhawk. That was pretty bad, though, for it was the only cap I had, and for months I had to wear it with all the felt torn from the crown by the Jap ground-fire. I remember that later one of the young bomber crew men asked Maj. Butch Morgan—it was when we stepped from our ships after bombing Hongkong—whether or not I'd had that cap on when the bullet went through.

I cussed about the cap and loaded the ship for another run on the bridge. As I came in from another direction this time, and very low, I saw bodies of the enemy from my first strafing, but the Japs were still working on the bridge. I strafed the working-party in two passes from different directions, so low that the anti-aircraft couldn't shoot at me effectively.

CHAPTER XIV

But I had seen enough. Even though this bridge was being built of bamboo, they were making it very strong, for the abutments were of heavier lumber and of stone. The Japanese were evidently planning to transport trucks, tanks, or some other heavier equipment North. I went right back to Dinjan and had Sergeant Bonner strap on a nice 500-pound bomb with a delayed action fuse. At any rate the armament men told him it was a ten-second delay fuse. This type of target had to be hit exactly, and if I were to glide in for a dead shot I'd surely get shot down by all the anti-aircraft. So I made up my mind long before I got there to turn it loose just as low as I could fly. Even if I missed the bridge by only fifty yards, which is close for dive-bombing in ships not made for that type of work, I'd knock a lot of leaves off the trees, make a big noise, and maybe kill some gunners. But the abutments of the bridge had to be hit just about dead center if I was to make the Japs stop work.

I came in to the target from the West, with the sun right at my back. I flew so low that I was afraid the little windmill on the nose of the bomb would get knocked off by the bushes. And then, as I saw the bridge, I let the bomb go.

All hell broke loose.

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As you know we have so few nurses and doctors that when illness strikes in your home you cannot always secure the services of these people, so Red Cross is giving free classes in home nursing on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 3 p. m. at Red Cross headquarters in Balboa park. Every family should have at least one person in it who has had a course in home nursing. In peace time this instruction would cost at least $50 but Red Cross gives this course free of charge. In peace or war it is a wonderful thing to know. Please take advantage of this opportunity. Call F-8871 and ask for "Nursing Service."

Go to the blood donor center and donate your blood. The need is urgent, and here is your chance to save a life.

Ocean Beach ladies should donate two more cakes a week, according to a request from headquarters. There are so many more wounded servicemen in the hospitals and so many more coming in every day that there is more need of birthday cakes. If it was your son, and some boy in the ward had a birthday cake, and it was also your boy's birthday and there were not enough so he could receive one, just think how he would feel. Please take a little time once a week and bake a cake. You can obtain grease and sugar here at the center, 4769 Del Monte Ave., without points or stamps at the current store prices. We have sugar in two pound bags and grease in one pound packages.

I want to thank everyone who has helped in collecting the articles asked for and all who have and are donating cakes and cookies. Red Cross certainly needs your help.

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If anything is clear in this bewildering and chaotic world, it is the unbalance between scientific advance and social control. We have a world of twentieth century technology and stone age international relations; a world of unlimited production and uncontrolled hatred and greed; a world of magnificant intellectual achievement and of catastrophic moral failure; a world of magic and of wonder endangered by ignorance of human relations and the art of government. Thus the instruments designed for freedom have become tools of the new barbarians, and for all the promise of the new day, it may again be written, "Where there is no vision the people perish."

—William Pearson Tolley
Chancellor, Syracuse University, "Think Magazine"

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ROBOT BOMBS—AND PEACE—

Winston Churchill has reported on the final score of the V-2 robot bomb attacks on England.

He revealed that these attacks ended on March 27. But during the comparatively few months in which they dropped without any warning from the sky, 2,754 persons were killed and 6,523 injured. Approximately 1,200 of the giant missiles fell on England.

One bomb alone killed 167 persons in November. Seven of our own American soldiers were victims of one blast.

These are not pleasant statistics to read. But they do drive home the utter necessity of working out some sort of mediation machinery for the world through which the differences between nations can be settled peacefully. They also show the urgency of never again permitting aggressor nations to re-establish their military strength.

It takes but little imagination to picture the size and destructive power of robot bombs that can be developed in the years to come. That is why it is all the more important that the ability and inventive genius of men be turned toward constructive, rather than destructive, lines.

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TRAVEL TIME: NOTHING FLAT—

As we recall, there is a fable in one of our old grammar school books which tells of a king who asked his wise men how long it would take him to travel from one place to another.

It turned out to be the $64 question for all the experts flunked the test. Then a 'quiz kid' came along and told the king that if he "traveled with the sun" he would arrive at the same hour he left.

The king thought the answer was pretty smart and put the lad on the regular weekly broadcast from the palace. (modern version of the story).

Well, all this leads up to the recent declaration by no less a personage than the head of the Civil Aeronautics Board, that traveling 867 miles an hour by air, which would keep the plane abreast with the sun, is not only bossible but probable: In other words, we could leave New York and fly to California arriving at the same time of day that we left.

The CAB chairman also thinks that at some future date planes will exceed the sun's speed in relation to the earth, thereby enabling us to arrive in California before we leave New York.

A bit confusing, but it does hint at the virtually limitless possibilities of air transportation to be realized in the future.

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Maybe Think

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Tom—What's the best way to teach a girl to swim?

Bill—That requires technique. First you put your left arm around her waist. Then you gently take her left hand—

Tom—She's my sister.

Bill—Oh push her off the dock!

—●—

Then there's the man who claims that a marriage is a mutual relationship, with the husband as the mute.

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Office boy: Please, sir, may I have the afternoon off?

Boss Man: It's your grandmother again, I suppose?

Office boy: Yes, sir. She's making her first parachute jump, you know.

—●—

Satan: "What are you laughing at?"

Junior Devil: "I just locked a woman in a room with a thousand hats and no mirror."

—●—

The honor of the state depends upon every individual.

National honor depends upon the honor of the state.

World happiness depends upon the honor of nations.

—●—

Chief: "Now if you stood with your back to the north and your face to the south, what would you have on your left hand?"

Recruit: "Fingers."

—●—

In the parlor there were three
She, the table lamp and he,
Three's a crowd, there is no doubt
And so the little lamp went out.

—●—

The public is going to find out pretty soon just how much virtue there is in the diet that prohibits eating red meat.

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Faux Pas

"Your stockings seem rather wrinkled."

"You brute!" exclaimed the girl, "I have no stockings on."

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Train your memory for good things only, and train your forgettory for things which do you harm. Bad memories hurt us. Memories of good things build us up.

Learn to forget what should be forgotten.

—●—

She: "Before we married, you promised me never to look at another woman."

He: "Yeah, but that was only a campaign promise"

—●—

"Where is the head bookkeeper?"

"Gone to the races, boss"

"What? In the middle of our annual audit?"

"Yes, sir. It was our only chance to balance the books.

—●—

The Millers went to a movie, taking their very vocal baby along. At the ticket window they were warned that if the child was not quiet during the show, they would have to get a refund and leave. Halfway through the show the wife turned to her husband and whispered: "What do you think of it?"

"Rotten."

"Pinch the baby."

Subscribe For THE NEWS Today

Family Relations Conference To Be Held May 4 to 12

Presenting speakers of national prominence, the eighth San Diego Family Relations conference will be held starting today, (May 4) and concluding Sunday, May 12. General sessions will be held in the Roosevelt Junior high school auditorium, 3366 Park Blvd. and homes, schools, churches and clubs throughout the city and county will sponsor informal meetings at which the convention theme, "Building Happy Families in a Changing World" will be discussed.

Sponsored by 50 leading organizations, schools and San Diego State College, the conference aim is to encourage individual and group thinking and discussion which may result in better understanding and handling of current as well as post-war problems of families living in the San Diego area.

Outstanding speakers will be (May 4) Dr. R. J. Ojeman, director Iowa Child Welfare Research station, Univ. of Iowa; Dr. D. D. Eitzen of the University of Southern California, May 11; Dr. Arline Johnson, School of Social Work, University of Southern California, and Dr J. S. Kasanin, director, Psychiatric clinic, Mt. Zion hospital, San Francisco, May 12.

State college students will conduct a panel, "Student Views on Marriage" and six section meetings dealing with marriage and family problems are slated, Saturday, May 12.

Conference will close the evening of May 12, with a symposium, "Tomorow's Challenge," conducted by Dr. Walter Hepner, Dr. Oliver Butterfield, Dr. Richmond Barbour and Irvin S. Gress.

All sessions are free to the public.

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Rev. Edward F. Hannon, Pastor
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Week-day Mass at 7:00 a.m.
Hours of Masses on holidays of obligation, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m.

Trinity Episcopal
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Philip S. Harris, Vicar
Sunday—
7:45 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
10:00 a.m.—Children's Eucharist.
11:00 a.m. — Holy Eucharist (first Sunday).
6:30 p.m.—Young People's league.
Monday, 3:30 p.m. — Church school.
Wednesday—
9:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
Saturday 9:30 a. m.—Church school.

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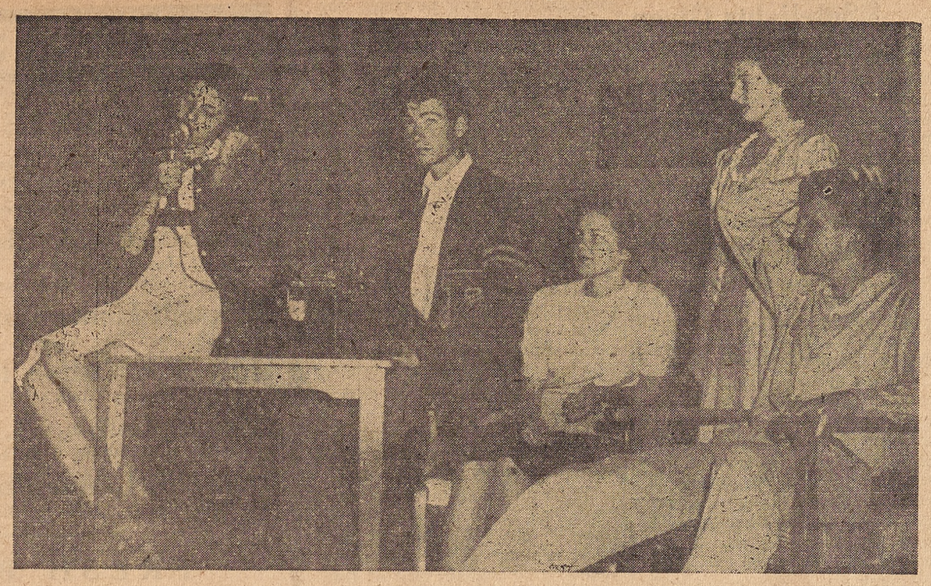

Reading from left to right: Yvonne Gerson, Jay Timmons, Anne Carmody, Helen Williams and Jim Wiesler, who are starring in the Point Loma high school senior "A" comedy, "And Came the Spring." First showing of the play was Thursday evening, May 3, and the final performance will be given tonight (Friday) May 4, at the high school auditorium. Above is one of the outstanding scenes of the comedy and shows Yvonne playing "Midge;" Jay, "Elliott Hartman;" Anne, "Mrs. Hartman;" Helen, "Virginia Hartman;" and Jim, "Mr. Hartman." The cast for the two night totals 24. Miss Jeweldean Brodie, high school dramatic instructor, directed and coached the play.

—Cut Courtesy of The Pointer

WHAT'S BUZZIN'!

By CHERIE.

Howdy Folks!—Did you hear about Jo Edwards (Flower Shop) free plate lunch from Cache of Sweets? It consisted of one chicken head perched upon a plate crowned with one of Johnnie's works of art. Alongside of same, nestled two sprouting onions and a raw potato. The nightmare was labeled "Chicken A la King!"

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Bruce Widell (Ocean Beach Hardware) says he's like the life of a hermit in the hills. Well now, that's all right, Bruce, just so long as you hit the city at least once in awhile so you can wear some of those sharp clothes you have hanging in the closet!

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The new owner of Eric-Lee restaurant was formerly in the show business . . which reminds me, Eric Wilson, the former owner, found himself in quite a predic t'other day! His better half Lee, was away, the house was locked, windows and all, and Eric was without . . without a key AND a seat in his pants! A bit embarassing, eh Eric?

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Lorraine Montana, Dr. Oster's man Friday, is homesick for good ole Massachusetts. Now you know you can't go swimming or acquire a suntan in six feet of snow!

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LoRie and Sterling Chapman were among the town's well known visitors last week. The Chapmans and son, Jack Rand, are now residents of Long Beach.

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Fred Edwards has this time put into book form a story of his life, and what a life!

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Next time you see Dan Moss, ask him if his great aunt, the Duchess of Hovno has arrived!

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A bundle from heaven arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Sartore April 21. Sharyn Lee and mother are doing fine, but Aunt Minnie Donahu will take a while to recover!

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It's a girl at the Ray Chenoweths, born Sunday night. Virginia was formerly manager of Pacific Shores.

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Buda and Jim Mero and family are in Pomona now with Buda's parents. Jim expects to be a Marine in the next few weeks.

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It's wonderful, girls, what ridin' a bicycle will do for that figure. Doctors are today suggesting that you take up bicycling for a sluggish system, and to trim down the waistline and build up the muscles. Why not get up a Sunday morning party and all go for a spin on your bikes? If you don't own a bike, rent one from Mr. Ramsey at 5016 Newport. It's good fun, and it's good for you! (Editor's Note—And why not other business men besides Joe Lownes and Don Thomson also reduce by the bike-riding system?)

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"Book Bugs"—

The Armed Services Edition of "Forever Amber" which goes overseas this spring, will contain less than half the text of the domestic edition. No—you're wrong! It's not being censored. The condensed version is only to conform to manufacturing regulations

Naomi Gilpatrick's "The Broken Pitcher" is an exciting new story of an unusual three-sided relationship. Things become quite complicated when Sharon O'Dell suddenly realizes that she has fallen in love with her mother's second husband. I believe you will find it to be an exceptionally rewarding experience in reading.

And so once more, adieu

ANDY TOSH RE-OPENS HIS SERVICE STATION REPLACING ONE BURNED

Andy Tosh today (Friday) reopens his service station at the corner of Voltaire and Abbott in a new station, replacing the one that burned there Nov. 24 last. He will keep the place open from 10 to 10 every day, he says.

"Due to the necessary clean-up operations and to various other delays no opening date was set in last week's announcement in The News," Andy stated this week. "In the future, as in the past," he says his "customers will have the benefit without extra charge of the famous Thunderbolt process for gas, the most powerful in North America. Inasmuch as my customers keep me in business it is my disposition to see they get face value received and the best that money can buy. Thousands of motorists testify to the value of the Thunderbolt process to the automotive industry and to motor car owners. By 20 months of actual test it is proven the most perfect process for gas ever created and the most beneficial to all motors. Thanks for courtesies extended."

Lost and Found . . .

FOUND—Car key. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad at 1922 Bacon St. 29

PERSONALS..

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Setin of 4311 Montalvo St., are the parents of an 8½ pound baby girl born April 27 at the Scripps Memorial hospital.

A. L. Hubbard of 2304 Seaside St. is home on a two-weeks vacation from his duties with Convair, and plans to catch up on his fishing before going back to work.

The new clerk at the local postoffice window is Miss Lizzie Myers, taking the place of Mrs. Louise Carter who aims to leave Saturday for Fort Smith, Ark. to be with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Green and family of San Diego have bought the residence property at 4319 Coronado Ave., and expect to move there in the near future. Mr. Green is supervisor for a San Diego dairy.

Ben Avant, PhM1/c and wife Beatrice are the parents of a baby girl, born March 27 at the Navy hospital. The father is "somewhere" in the Pacific and the mother resides at 4659 Pescadero Ave.

Arnold Dewees, yoeman 3/c spent Wednesday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dewees, 4631 Pescadero Ave. He is stationed in San Diego with his aircraft carrier for about 10 days.

Roy Brazell of 1054 Devonshire Dr. returned Sunday noon from a flying trip to San Angelo, Texas to see his son, Robert of the A.A.F. who had just been released from a hospital there. Highlight of the trip, says Roy, was a visit on his return plane he had with Army officers who had left France last Thursday evening, laid over 12 hours in Washington, D.C. for orders and were passing through San Diego enroute to Seattle, Wash. Roy made fast time both ways by airplane.

Rev. Martin Lankow of the Bethany Lutheran church has received word from Mr. and Mrs. Newell B. Phelps from Portsmouth, Va., stating that their son, Jimmy, 15, had to have one leg amputated as result of an injury that happened recently while he was wrestling with other boys. Jimmy was the first pupil to enroll at the Lutheran school here when it was opened in September 1941, reports Rev. Lankow. Before going to Portsmouth a year ago the Phelps family lived at 4519 Brighton Ave.

John McNie Thompson, 83, quarter of the U. S. Strategic Voltaire, died at the Thompson home Friday, and the funeral was held Monday at the Bradley-Woolman chapel. Cremation followed. Thompson was a native of Scotland and leaves besides the son here, a son James of Corona, Calif. and a daughter, Mrs. Ruby Priest of San Diego.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SECTION . . . . . .

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WANTED TO RENT—Marine officer and wife want small cottage or Apt. for month of June. Call B-5855. 29p

WANTED—Mother and 2 high school daughters will care for home for 3 months or rent paid in advance while building. Ex. references. Write Bx 8, c-o Ocean Beach News, 1922 Bacon St. 29c

WANTED—Quiet couple employed want small furnished Apt. or house. Box 21, 1922 Bacon St. 29p

WANTED TO RENT—Marine and wife want furnished apt. or house. Ph. B-6565. Three mos. rent in advance. 29-30p

WANT TO RENT—One or two room apt. C. A. Papandrew, 1756 Cable St. B-8038 or Calif. Theatre, F-3818. 29p

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FOR RENT—Room and bath in exchange for house work. B-6473. 29c

WANTED—Housekeeper companion, living at home to come in days. B-3780. 28-9p

Wanted . . .

WANTED TO BUY—Studio couch, gas range, small gas heater. Ph. F-7065. 29p

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Tax Sale No. 3616-3, 4 & 5, 3658
NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DEEDED TO THE STATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

WHEREAS, I was on the 26th day of February, 1945, directed by the Board of Supervisors of San Diego County, State of California, and there was received by me and filed in my office an authorization of the State Controller, dated March 13, 1945, to sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States, certain tax deeded properties, public notice is hereby given that unless the said properties are redeemed, as provided by law, I will on the 15th day of May, 1945, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m. in the Tax Collector's office in the San Diego City and County Administration Building at 1600 Pacific Boulevard in the City of San Diego, sell as directed the said property for a sum not less than the minimum price set forth in this notice.

The parcel or parcels of property that are the subject of this notice are situate in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and are described as follows:

Sale No. 3616-3

Point Loma Heights, Lot 7, Block 20. Assessed to Hazel M. Olson for the years 1931 to 1937, incl. Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 3616-4

Point Loma Heights, Lot 4, Block 58. Assessed to Lillian K. Smock for the years 1932 to 1938, incl. Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 3616-5

Point Loma Heights, Lot 20, Block 72. Assessed to Pacific Finance Corp. for the year 1931. Assessed to Ann Farias for the years 1932 to 1937, incl. Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 3658

Ocean Beach Park, Lot 22, Block 27. Assessed to Jeanne Boulley for the years 1931 to 1937, incl. Minimum price $60.00 plus cost of advertising.

If redemption of the property or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption is not made according to law prior to the sale thereof the right of redemption will cease. For information regarding redemption apply to ROBERT W. GETTY, Auditor-Controller of San Diego County, Civic Center, San Diego, California.

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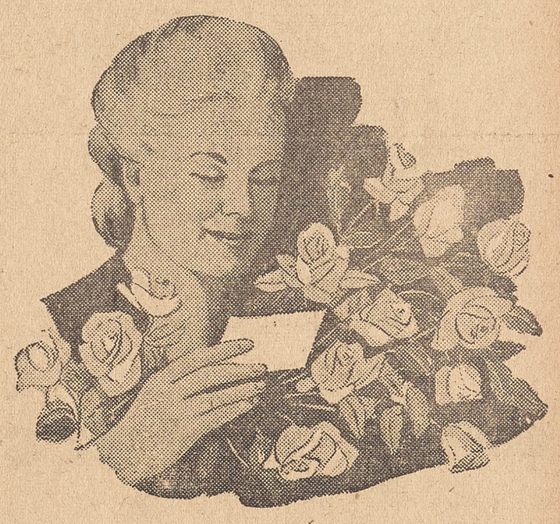
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 34738

Estate of Charles H. Lindsay, also known as C. H. Lindsay, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by CHESTER D. GUNN as the Administrator with the Will Annexed of the above entitled estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said decedent, that within six months after the first publication of this notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Diego, or present them with the necessary vouchers to the said Administrator at his place of business 310 Union Building, San Diego, California.

Signed Chester D. Gunn
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.
Thomas Whelan
District Attorney and County Counsel.
By Robert E. Jenson,
Deputy. Attorneys for said Administrator.
Published April 6, 13, 20, 27 May 4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Miss Edna Maxine McWhorter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McWhorter of Steelville, Mo., and Sgt. James N. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor of 4714 Adair St., were united in marriage Saturday afternoon. Rev P. O. Jenson officiated and the ceremony was performed at the Baptist church at four o'clock.

The bride was given in marriage by the father of the groom, and for the ceremony she wore an ice blue crepe street length dress with white accessories. Her bouquet was of white gladioli. Her sister, Miss Irene McWhorter, attended as maid of honor and wore a rose crepe dress with white accessories. Flowers used were white carnations. Earl P. Taylor AMM1/c, brother of the groom, attended him as best man. Organist for the ceremony was Mrs. DeWitt Fields.

Following the wedding a reception in honor of the couple was held at the home of the groom's parents, where sweetpeas were the highlight of the floral decorations.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kennedy and daughter, Beverly, of San Diego and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Connor of National City.

Plan of the couple is to reside at El Centro for the time being.

Cub Pack Awards Given At Meeting Here April 26th

At the Cub Pack 328 meeting, held April 26 at the Ocean Beach school with Cubmaster Philip Harris presiding, Committeemen O. F. Conklin gave a talk on "What is Cubbing." Another committeeman present was H. P. Aubrey. Skits were put on by Dens 1 and 3 and 6.

New registration cards were given out to all Cubs in good standing.

Donnie Hunter graduated from the Cubs into Scout Troop 24. He received his "Lion" award, "Webelo" award, gold and silver arrow and his year star for service.

Other Cubs receiving awards were: "Wolf" badge, David Russell; "Bear" badge, Jack Gardner and Billy Hall; gold and silver arrow, Teddy Crouch; silver arrow, Arthur Hayward; "Lion" book, Charles Johnson and "Bear" book, Buddy Aubrey.

One year service awards went to Den Chief Jimmy Hunter, and Cubs Gordon Jennings, Jimmy Neil, Jim Hallstrom, Donald Melton, Rogar Lyman and Bobby Northern.

Pennant for most parents present went to Den 2, with Den 6 next.

Remember the "Stampede" at Mission Beach, June 2 at the Amusement park at 12 o'clock. All cubs and their parents are invited to attend announce those in charge.

STUDY GROUP ON ASIA TOPICS TO MEET AGAIN AT MRS. I. M. WARD HOME

The study group on Southeast Asia, sponsored by the W. S. C. S. of Point Loma Methodist church, will meet next at the home of Mrs. I. M. Ward, 4444 Long Branch Ave. on Wednesday, May 9, starting at 10 a. m. Discussion will be on the subject of the "Effect of the War on the Peoples of Southeast Asia." Women needing transportation to the meeting as well as those who wish nursery service for their small children while attending the session are asked to telephone Mrs. Merle Brady, B-6069. For the noon refreshments, the hostess who will be assisted by Mrs. Marcella Daniels, will serve the drink and the dessert. Those attending are asked to bring their own sandwiches.

This week's meeting was held at the home of Mrs. S. G. Roux, 4442 Granger St. The program consisted of a talk by Mrs. J. F. Roberts on the "Religions of Southeast Asia," and a review of the book, "Ann Ava," a story of a pioneer missionary couple in Burma, given by Mrs. Cram of Ocean Beach, herself a former missionary for 20 years in Korea.

Club Will Honor New Members At Breakfast May 10

Ocean Beach Woman's club will honor its new members at a May breakfast for members only on Thursday, May 10 at 11 o'clock at the clubhouse. Following the breakfast a brief business session will be held so that the afternoon may be given over to bridge and other games.

The purpose of the meeting is to welcome the many new members who have joined during the year, and to promote closer friendships among all the members. Mrs. C. A. Baker will be in charge of the breakfast, assisted by her committee, Mmes. Virgil C. Barber, R. C. Kimball, G. W. Bridger, L. C. Near, E. A. Kinneman and Ella Smith. Mrs. M. Krettler will be in charge of the card party. Miss Kate Spani will be in charge of the flower display. It is hoped all members will bring some kind of a flower arrangement. The prizes will be given for best corsages and two for best flower arrangements.

There will be a table for the exchange of plants, seeds and bulbs, members bring what they can spare from their gardens so that others may share them. This is expected to stimulate the love and knowledge of plants among amateurs, and encourage civic planting.

Everyone is urged to wear gay hair arrangements of fresh flowers as a hair dress for this festive occasion.

MRS. ISACSON WILL BE SPEAKER AT CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

The May meeting of the Sacred Heart Altar Society of Ocean Beach will be held Monday evening, May 7, at 7:30 p. m. A resume of the "Life of the Blessed Virgin" will be given by Mrs. Isacson and May hymns will be sung by women members of the choir. Refreshments will be served and ladies whose birthdays occur in May will be guests of honor, announces Mrs. W. G. Collins, publicity chairman.

GIRL SCOUTS TALK OVER SUMMER CAMPING PLANS

Twenty Girl Scouts of Troop 120, meeting Tuesday after school at Wallace Hall, talked over plans for camping this season. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. James B. Abbey and Mrs. Geo. F. Hart. "Next week, Tuesday, May 8, we plan to celebrate the Troop's birthday," report Scribes Carol Hart, June Reeves and Nancy Abbey, "and also to bring in our reports on international friendship and good will."

BEL CANTO CHORAL CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT MAY 8

The Bel Canto Choral club will give its seventh annual concert Tuesday evening, May 8, at the San Diego Woman's clubhouse, 2557 Third Ave., with Amoretta Ball as director and William Smart, Los Angeles baritone, as guest artist.

Frisco Conference Sidelights Given

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the public in the most courteous manner. Could not help but wonder what a person would have to do to get just one of these things second hand when the conference is over. The long corridors were filled with men and women dashing around with scripts as the major networks were in readiness to give to the world complete happenings of every event. It also was my good fortune to get into the auditorium of the Veterans building where men and women of the press and radio sat for hours under beaming hot arc lights, waiting patiently, until hunger was the chief thought; and more than 1000 sandwiches had been consumed. Reporters were forced to record the plights of other newsmen, and photographers began shooting pictures of each other. Then there was quiet conversation. Newsreel cameramen began their rehearsals. Still photographers stood on a platform halfway up the black velvet dropback on the stage. Finally the secretary appeared in a hurried mood to announce himself embarrassed and disappointed at the long delay and declared that no statement could be issued by him until after the public announcement and approval by the plenary session and urged the group to be with him for the conference immediately after the afternoon session.

Following my experience getting into the press conference I walked to the Opera House and stood outside where other various spectators were awaiting the scene of shiny automobiles bringing the notables from the hotels. Among the arrivals were the Russian delegation, headed by Commissar Molotov seated beside a careful driver. He seemed to be gazing directly at a small red flag securely attached to the right fender of the dark limousine, also the picturesque Arabs, dressed in the native regalia, giving charm and color to the historic scene.

Having read in the morning paper that the California Assembly had been given seats for the same plenary meeting, I could not help but stand a bit longer to see if I might catch a glimpse of Fred Kraft, our own Assemblyman, but in being one of the mere onlookers with so many things to see it is quite easy to miss some of the main happenings right before your eyes.

Members of the Red Cross in gray uniforms play a definite part inside the great San Francisco Opera House where they also give willing information, along with the military police. High-school age boys and girls with broad smiles act as ushers and also wear the insignia of the American Red Cross.

Soon the perfect parliamentary procedure ended the short business session presided over by Mr. Stettinius, followed by an introduction of each diplomat scheduled to speak on the day's program. Newsreel cameramen, photographers and newsmen covering every phase of the session stood erect or sat in the boxes where the press works in a greatly overcrowded space, to be sure that the addresses made by Victor Andrade of Bolivia, Paul Henri Spaak of Belgium, Francis M. Forde of Australia, Pedro Leao Velloso of Brazil and W. L. MacKenzie King of Canada, would be given out to the world.

Seated in the great auditorium was a ring of 42 women who represent the leading women's organizations of this nation. Called consultants, each has two associates. This master stroke of gaining the right to take part in this world conference assures all organizations of being kept informed of what is to take place as to permanent peace plans.

When the curtains of the day's scene had come down I did not leave the building until I had a glance of another service rendered by women; that of feeding tired and hungry spectators, reporters and most of all the heavily weighted down cameramen. The long board tables set up in the basement and spread with plain white table cloths gave a most appetizing welcome, as hot dishes, cold drinks, sandwiches and other simple American dishes were served by women in attractive white uniforms.

Outside in the fresh crisp air, again, I was approached by an attractive lady, who also was alone, and seemed anxious to gain a bit more information on how to get a glimpse of the Soviet ship anchored east of the Golden Gate. This seems to be the topic which has kept tongues wagging around the clock from the conference building, to the lobbies of the seven conference hotels as well as in the crowded street cars. The fact that the Russian group (no one knows how many members it contains) occupies the entire 10th floor of the St. Francis Hotel combined with the food ship and the fact that the delegates are not very clubby continues to be the watch word of the day.

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